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From: Christopher Hessler
Sent: Fri 2/28/2014 2:57:13 PM
Subject: Tier 3 Quotes .docx

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Chris,

We have one additional quote from Emitich. See attached.

On Monday we will also have full press releases from MECA and AESI.

Chris

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Ken Zerafa, President, Umicore Autocat USA, Inc.

"Despite popular mis-conceptions, air pollution from motor vehicles is still a serious threat both to the environment and to our health. Lev 3 regulations are an important step towards improving air quality in the numerous areas of the United States that don't currently meet the air quality standards set forth by the Clean Air Act. Protecting the environment is an on-going commitment that we can't allow to fade into the shadows. Although some may view emissions legislation as having a negative impact on the economy, quite the opposite is true. The jobs created by emissions control technology as well as the health care costs avoided by a clean environment more than compensate for the incremental costs associated with manufacturing cleaner products. Additionally, healthy people are more productive!" Titus Iwaszkiewicz, President, Emitec Inc.

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Subject: quotes

Chris,

We have quotes from 3 organizations. Waiting for more.

OK to send directly to you?

Chris

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From:

Jonathan Birdsong

Sent:

Fri 2/21/2014 10:23:47 PM

Subject: Re: Sorghum pathway and woodchips

Paul -

An executive from Chemtex will be in town next week. Perhaps we could meet you in your office Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning to discuss in person? Let me know if that would work for you.

Again, thanks!

Jonathan Birdsong BlueWater Strategies 400 North Capitol St., NW - Suite 475 Washington, DC 20001 (202) 589-1757 - Direct

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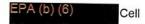
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From: Brooke Coleman

Sent: Fri 2/21/2014 4:30:54 PM

Subject: the issue I touched on: more important than economics

Hey Chris,

I broached a subject at the end of the call that we did not have time to discuss. While you said you did not follow my 25 second version, my guess is you have more than considered this issue. But I want to be really clear about it.

With regard to the D6 14.4 target, it is not about the number for advanced biofuels. Put another way, it's not really about where you are going on 14.4, but how you get there. Now that I have said that, it is true that a healthy and growing corn ethanol industry is obviously more interested in adopting new technology and diversifying feedstock, and leveraging existing plants is a strategy many of our guys have. So we want a healthy growing market there, and not a shrinking one. I don't really get the inclination to nail corn ethanol here, because they already are built out to \sim 15b and are not going to expand. But anyway ...

... the more important point is, waiving the RFS below 14.4 billion gallons currently invokes two things that will inflict serious damage on the advanced biofuels industry: (1) the inclusion of distribution capacity as part of EPA's waiver authority will introduce massive supply chain risk into every advanced biofuel investment by putting the trajectory of the program in the hands of the oil industry; and, (2) curbing the program in the face of oil industry intransigence will signal to the marketplace (for all RIN pools) that when push comes to shove RINs will not be allowed to drive off-take opportunity but instead will result in the curtailment of the program. Remember, when the oilies realized they were going to eat an RFS one way or another, they tasked Tom Delay to do two things: (1) get MTBE liability protection; and, (2) get "distribution capacity" into the waiver provision in the RFS. That's because it's a killer. They failed that time.

To add another layer, because distribution capacity (EPA's interpretation of supply in the proposed rule) is the third rail, if it stays in the final rule then at least some (probably close to all) in the biofuels industry will sue. The current proposal has frozen further development in the advanced biofuel industry. If the current proposal ends up in court, investment will remain frozen; markets for ethanol will not expand quickly enough to spur innovation; and, advanced biofuel companies with burn rates that cannot withstand a 3-4 year delay will die first. Many of these companies have the most innovative technologies in the world. Much of this technology will end up in the hands of the oil industry, where it will not be deployed.

Three quick additional things for further consideration: (1) I have already had multiple members come to me and say they are off to Brazil if this distribution capacity thing sticks; (2) if others in my sector downplay the argument that adding distribution capacity to the waiver provision is a problem, I would be happy to discuss their motives off line because I know who they are; and, (3) there may be ways to get to a lower number without doing this to our industry – probably also best discussed offline.

Hope this didn't give you a headache. Would enjoy discussing further. Trying to be helpful. -b

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Sent: Fri 2/21/2014 3:57:10 PM Subject: Verleger piece I mentioned Verleger Final Report Jan 28 2014.pdf

Hi Chris,

Good chatting with you. Here is the Verleger report I mentioned. Apparently it has some non-resolved trademark or other legal issues, but it is ok for internal circulation. Verleger is an former Ford/Carter administration MIT economist who is certainly not some sort of "ethanol guy." He has written on RINs and gas prices elsewhere (see http://www.pkverlegerllc.com/assets/documents/The_Price_of_RINs.pdf and http://thchill.com/blogs/congress-blog/energy-environment/196135-rfs-kept-gas-prices-down) but the attached modeling speaks directly to what we discussed about who is benefitting and what might happen in a distorted market (he does a run with blenders keeping the profit, even though they shouldn't). If you have any questions about the report, I have probably been befuddled with the same ones and have done some legwork on them (so happy to chat). I do think this is a very good report on the issue.

-b

R. Brooke Coleman

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From: Brooke Coleman

Sent: Thur 2/20/2014 2:35:19 PM

Subject: catching up

Hi Chris,

I hope your travel went ok. I decided that you didn't need yet another person in your ear yesterday. That said, I think it may make sense to catch up. I have had several meetings that you had indicated an interest in talking a little bit about. I dont think it needs to be anything formal, but it is quite important. Please let me know if you have a slot (and interest) and I will give you a call. Thanks, -b

From: Mary Giglio

Sent: Wed 2/19/2014 3:04:20 PM

Subject: Re: Hotel Bill

He's very kind. I really appreciated your remarks and candor and comments on your roots. I'm a Badger:)

On Feb 19, 2014, at 10:01 AM, "Grundler, Christopher" < grundler.christopher@epa.gov > wrote:

Many thanks. Bob told me you're the best!

From: Mary Giglio < MGiglio@ethanolrfa.org > Sent: Wednesday, February 19, 2014 9:54:18 AM

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Subject: Live Stream

Can be found here: Live Stream of State of Ethanol Industry Speech

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From: Babcock, Bruce A [ECONA] Sent: Sun 2/16/2014 5:52:44 PM

Subject: RE: Presentation for the National Ethanol Conference

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Mary

Here are my slides.

bruce

From: Mary Giglio [mailto:MGiglio@ethanolrfa.org] Sent: Monday, February 03, 2014 11:35 AM

To: grundler.christopher@epa.gov; Babcock, Bruce A [ECONA]

Cc: Geoff Cooper

Subject: Presentation for the National Ethanol Conference

Dear Chris and Bruce,

Thank you again for agreeing to present at the upcoming National Ethanol Conference (NEC) Feb. 17-19 at the JW Marriott Orlando Grande Lakes in Orlando, Florida.

In preparation for the conference, I'm writing to request that you send me your slides directly and I will upload them to our a/v company's drop box.

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Please don't hesitate to contact me with any questions. My cell is EPA (b) (6) if you need to reach me at any time or at the NEC.

Thank you again for providing your time and expertise to our panels.

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Impact of the RFS on Investment, Consumption, and Fuel Prices

Bruce Babcock Iowa State University

How is the RFS Supposed to Work?

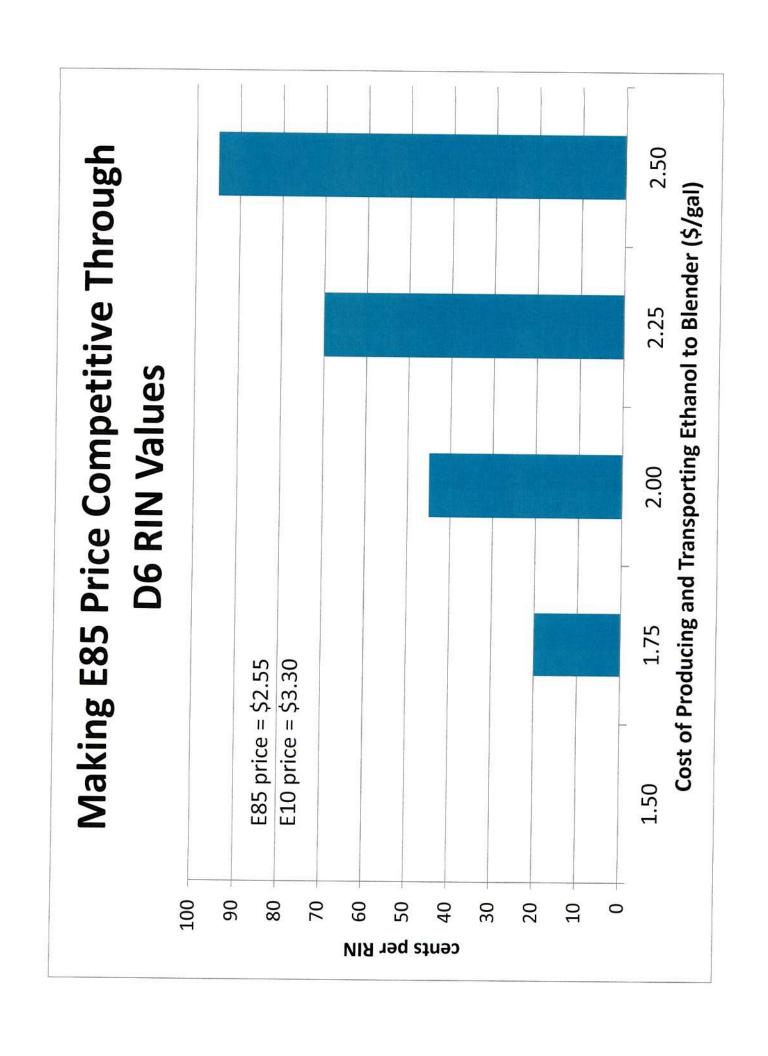
- Clear roadmap for ethanol consumption targets
- At least 14.4 BG in 2014; 15 BG in 2015
- Volume flexibility if capacity to produce fuel does not enough exist
- cellulosic ethanol
- Market-based mechanism to create financial incentive to meet targets
- markets for RIN

RIN Value Determination: The Theory

- RIN prices close any gap between
- the price needed to get consumers to buy more ethanol
- The cost of producing and providing that ethanol to consumers

An Example

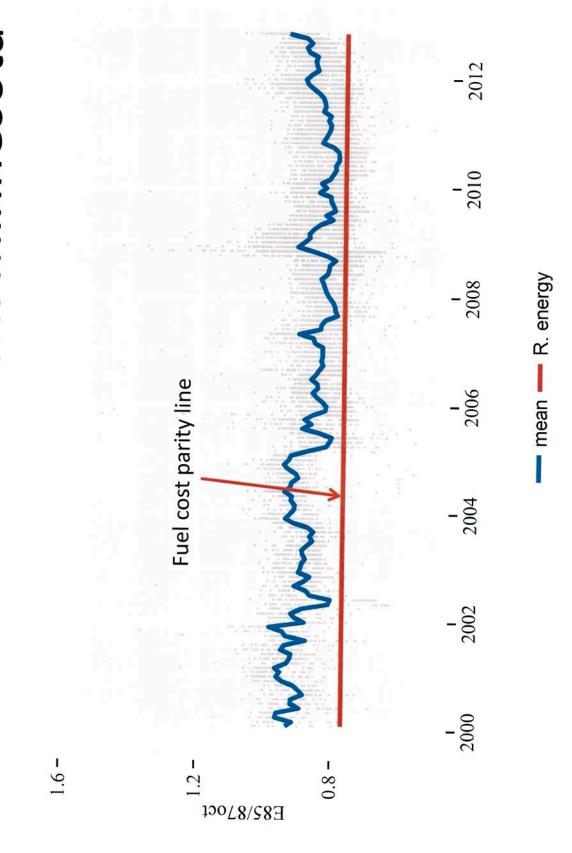
- Price of E10 = \$3.30 per gallon
- Owners of flex vehicles need E85 priced at \$2.55 per gallon.
- With a 75 cent wholesale to retail markup, need wholesale ethanol at \$1.55 per gallon
- Competition Assumption:
- Competitive market exists between blenders, gasoline producers, ethanol plants, and retail outlets

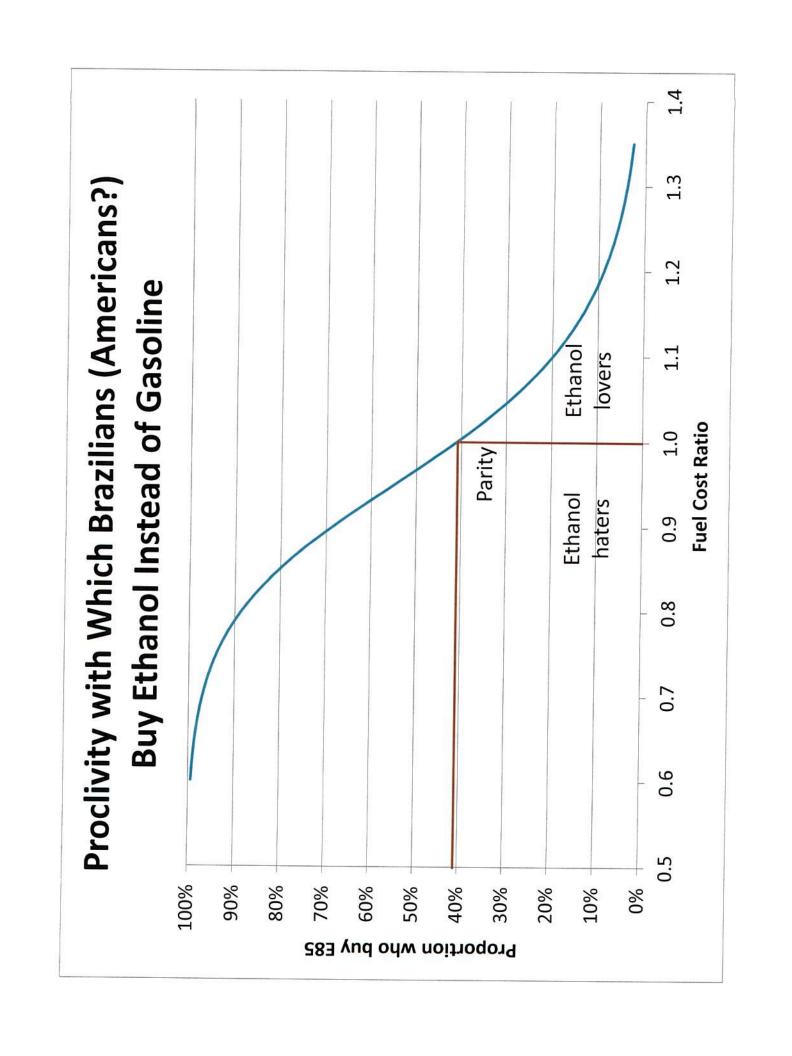


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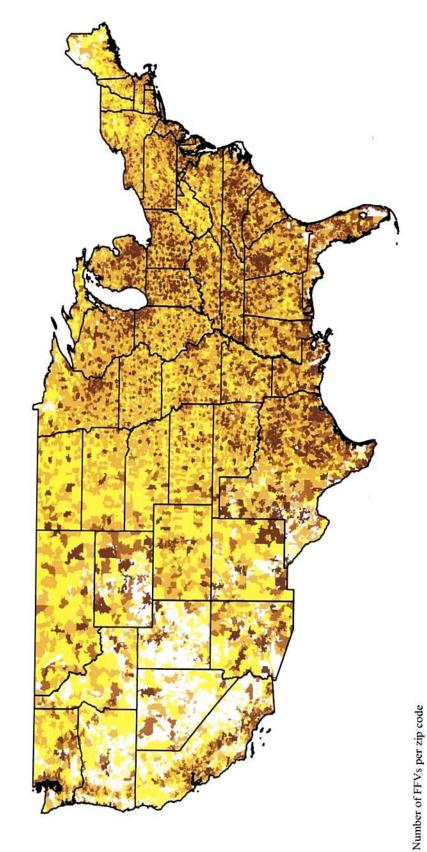
- Can ethanol consumption be increased through E85?
- What price of E85 is needed to induce consumers to buy it?
- How much ethanol can feasibility be consumed as E85?

Historical Data from Minnesota



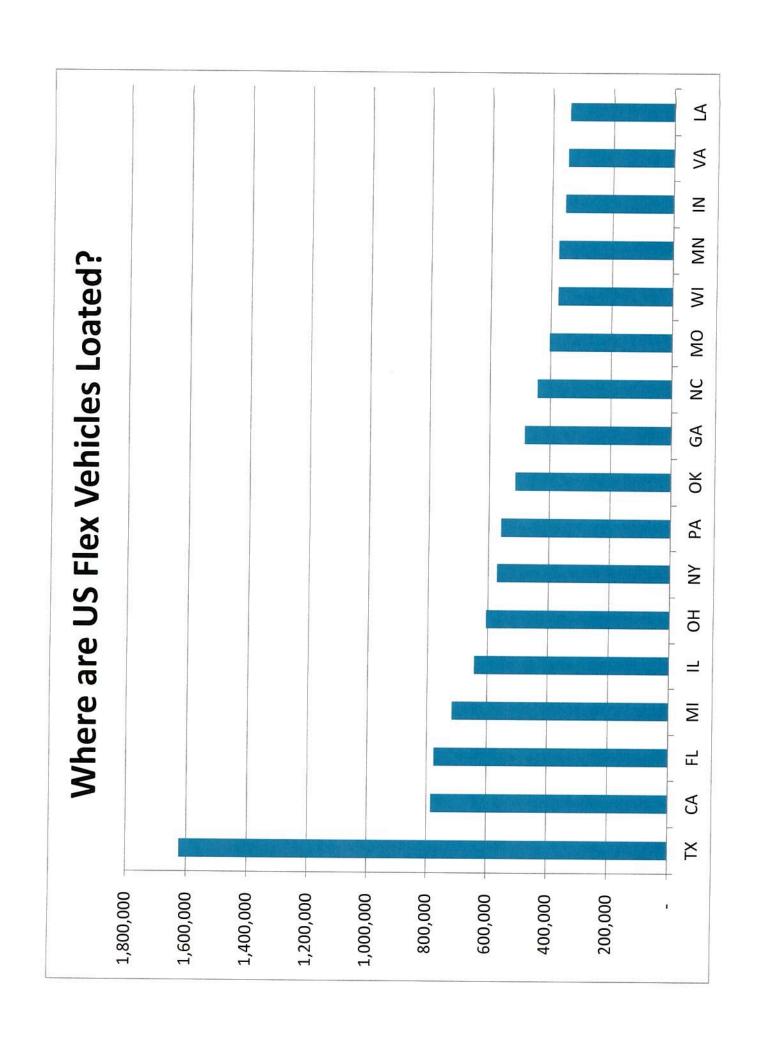


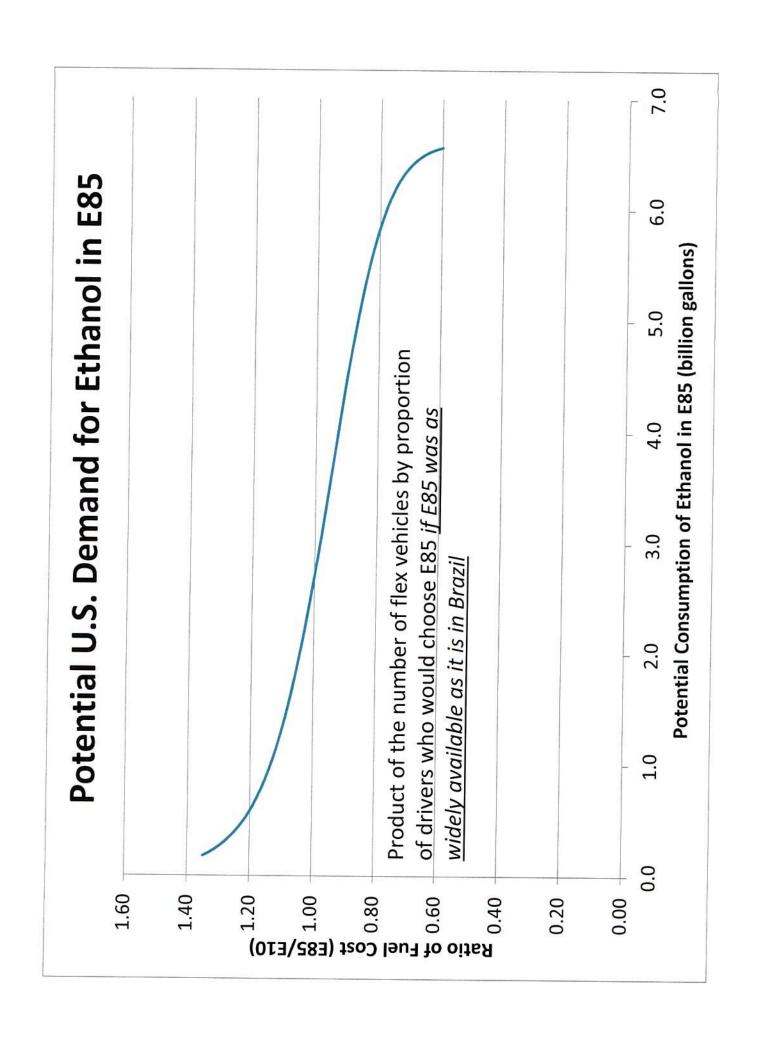
Location of 14.6 Million Flex Vehicles: Dec 31, 2012



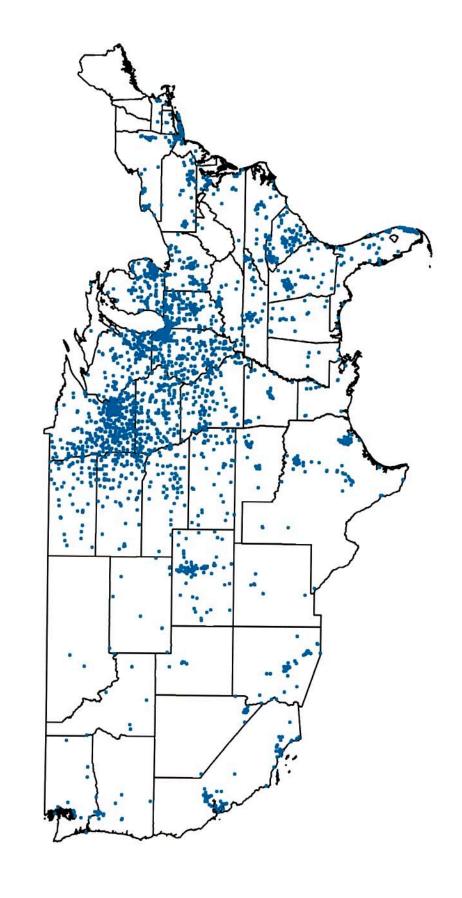
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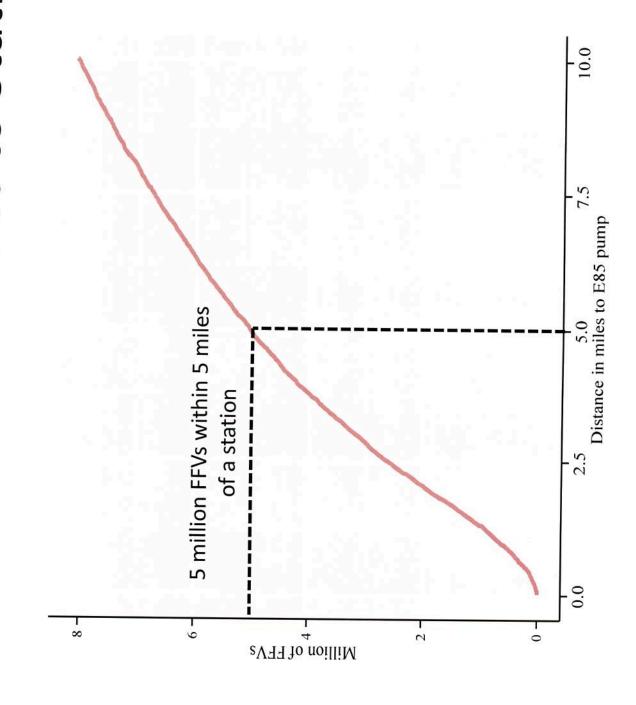


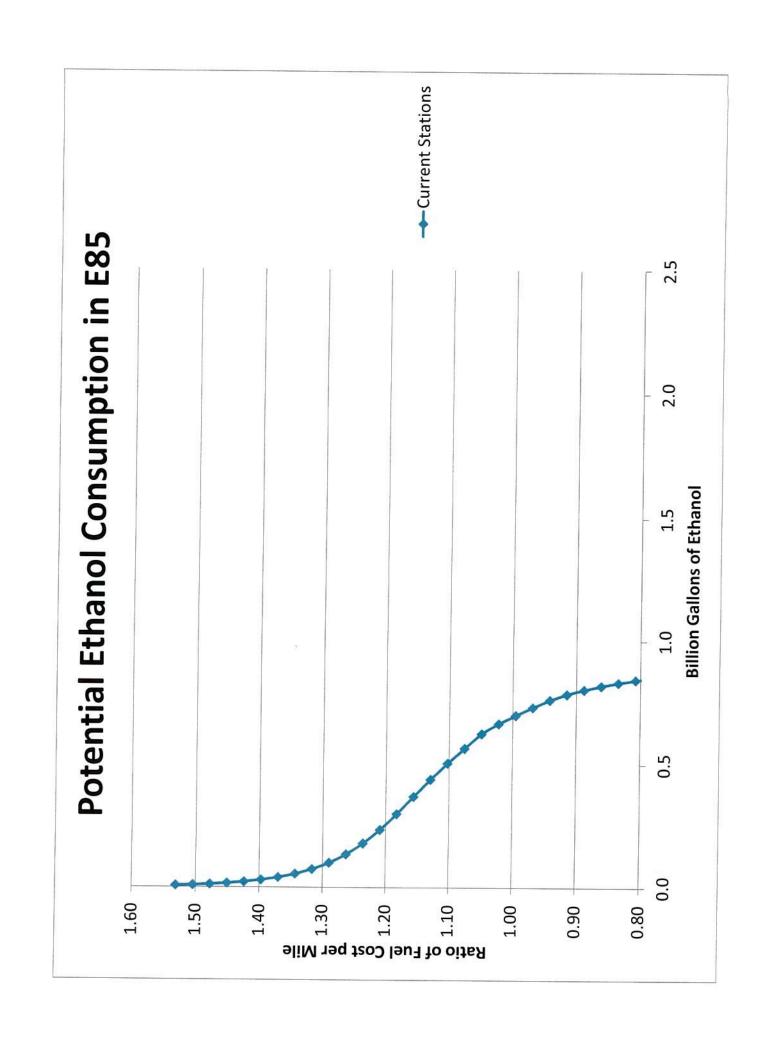
Location of E85 Stations



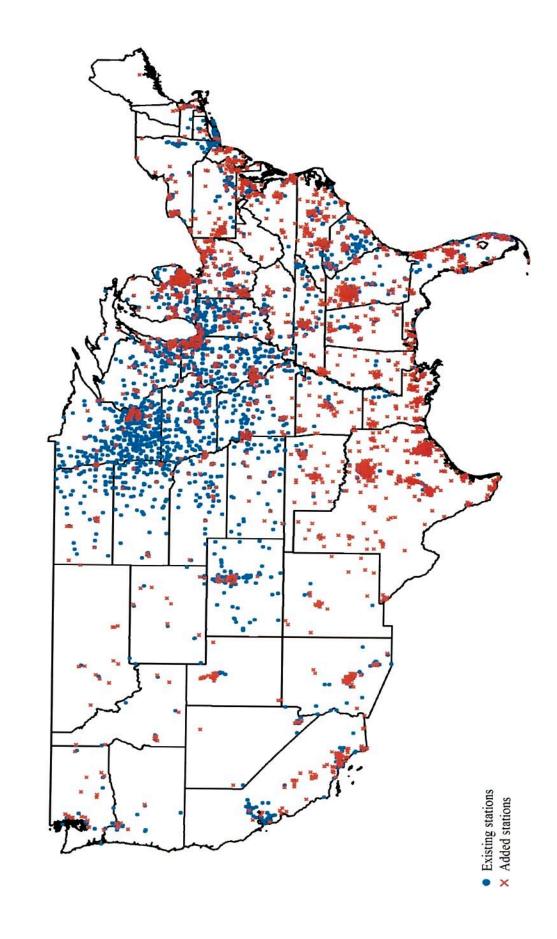
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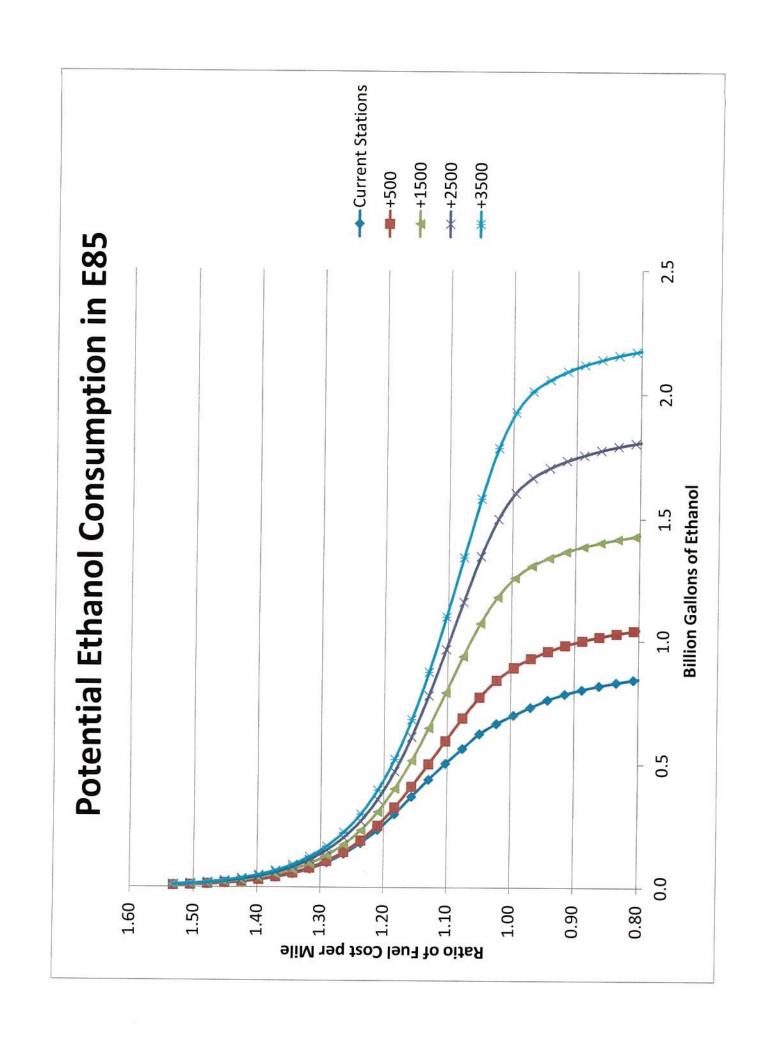
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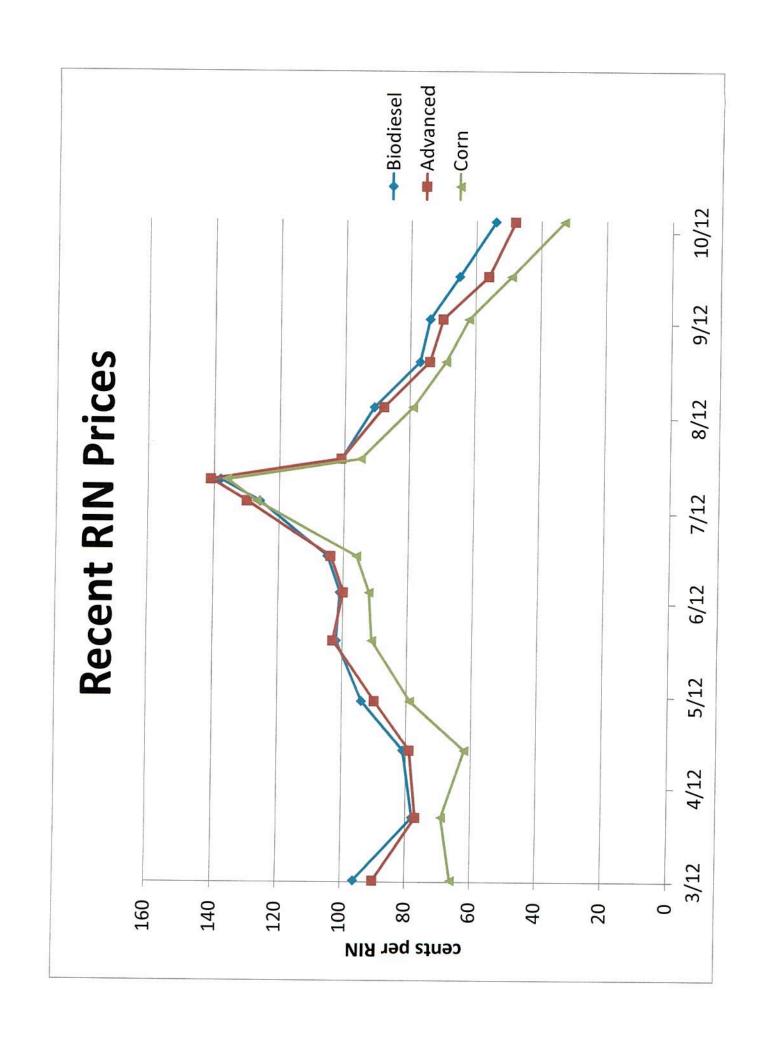
Adding E85 Stations





Why Would New Stations Appear?

- High RIN prices give an incentive to obtain more RINS
- E85 and E15 are the two fuels where more RINs can be obtained
- Value of RINs generated greater than the cost of investment
- E10 infrastructure build out is the model

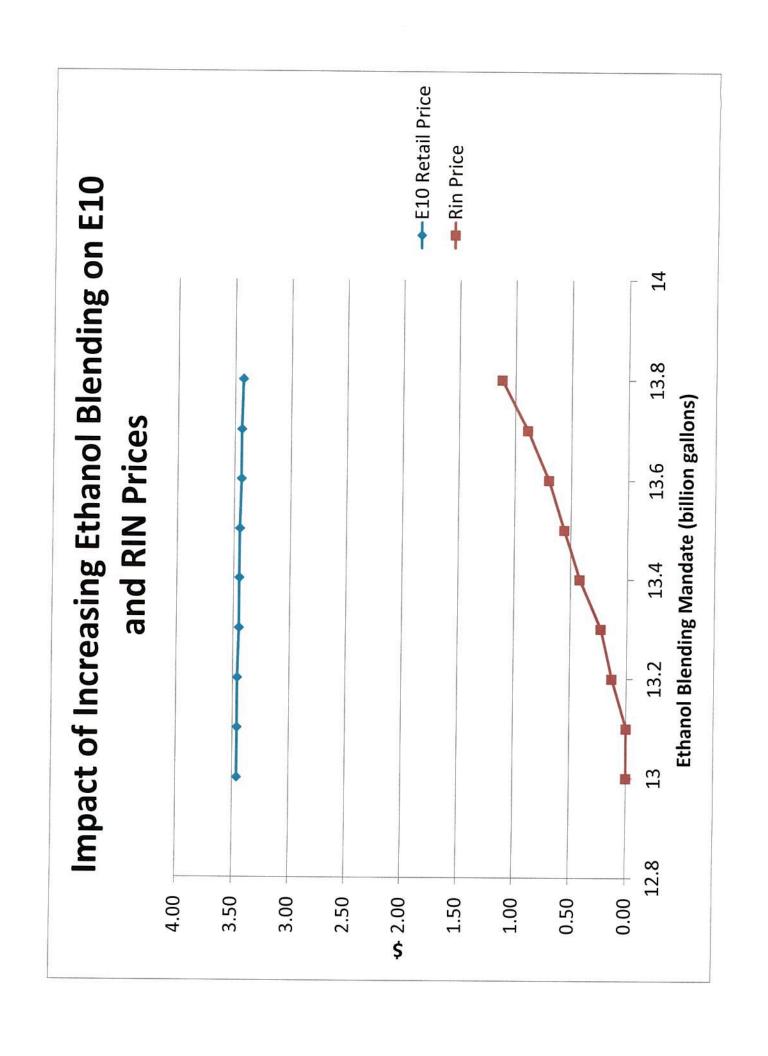


Impact of RIN Prices on Consumers and Refineries

- RIN prices increase the cost of producing gasoline Cost increase = RVO percentage X RIN price e.g., 11 cents = 11% X \$1.00
- Cost increase reduces the supply of gasoline refineries provide
- the cost increase (8 cents rather than 11 cents) Wholesale gasoline prices will rise by less than

Impact on Consumers

- Consumers buy E10, not E0
- Gasoline component of E10 increases by 90% of 8 cents or 7.2 cents per gallon
- A competitive blending/distribution sector will price the ethanol component of E10 \$1.00 lower per gallon because of RIN price
- Ethanol component of E10 reduced by 10 cents per gallon
- Net effect is +7.2 10 = -2.8 cents per gallon



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From: Brooke Coleman

Sent: Tue 2/11/2014 1:54:32 PM

Subject: catch up

Hey Chris,

I was supposed to follow up with you re: our meetings with the admin. I definitely want to do that. That said, I got called back in there (going tomorrow) for a more "informal" chat so maybe we catch up after that? Maybe Thursday?

To: Grundler, Christopher[grundler.christopher@epa.gov]

From: Mary Giglio

Sent: Tue 2/11/2014 1:08:37 AM

Subject: RE: speaking confirmation for the National Ethanol Conference

Hi Chris, Bob told me that you're unable to come and participate during the day Tuesday but you could be there to participate Wed morning. He'd like you to go first thing on Wednesday morning – we start at 8 am with a brief Award presentation (10 min or less) and then we'd turn the floor over to you. We only have 20 minutes as we've had to pull time from other panels.

Let me know if this all works for you. You'll need your hotel room for the night of the 18th only, or will you stay on the 19th as well?

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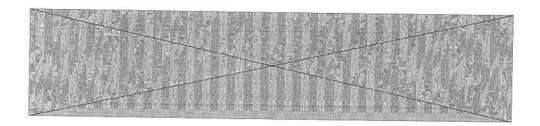
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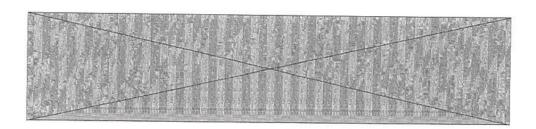
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